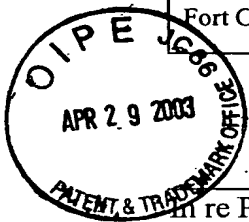


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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 29, 2003 (Paper No. 3), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Claims

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(1), Applicants set forth amendments to claims 1, 8, and 13 by rewriting claims 1, 8, and 13 with all changes. Please delete claim 18 without prejudice. Also, Applicants include all pending claims, whether amended or unchanged, for the convenience of the Examiner.

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